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Patrick W. Smith and Magne H. Nerheim TITLE: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR IMMOBILIZATION

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- [x]**Abstract**
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